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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of  
Zandi, et al.  
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For: METHOD FOR COMPRESSION USING  
REVERSIBLE EMBEDDED WAVELETS

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*SPECIAL PROGRAMS*

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Decision Dismissing Petition mailed July 13, 1995,  
Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following  
amendments and consider the following remarks:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

At page 42, line 26, please delete "then the bitplane  $S_A$  is set equal to the  
bitplane  $S_A-1$  (processing block 2718)".

At page 44, lines 1-3, please delete "decisions can typically be coded  
more efficiently than B-pass decisions, performing multiple A-passes initially  
can improve quality for lossy compression".

Please renumber pages 44-103 as pages 43-102, respectively.

Please cancel page 43 submitted January 9, 1995 from the above-  
referenced application.